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SUBJECT: UN HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL ELECTION: INDIA WILL  
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1.(SBU) Poloff delivered reftel Diplomatic Note and copy of the United States Human Rights Commitments and Pledges to MEA/Protocol on April 17. Poloff also faxed and emailed the demarche to MEA/Americas Division Director Randhir Jaisawal the same day. On April 20, 2009 MEA/UN Joint Secretary Dinesh Patnaik told Poloff that the Government of India would support the candidacy of the United States to the UN Human Rights Council.

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